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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Jingsong Xia et al                      GROUP: 2634  
SERIAL NO: 09/884,256                      EXAMINER: Amanda T. Le  
FILED: June 19, 2001  
FOR: COMBINATION TRELLIS DECODER AND  
DECISION FEEDBACK EQUALIZER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), petition is made for a THREE (3) month extension of time to file the attached Response, in response to the Office Action dated January 26, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$1,810.00 is enclosed herewith, \$1,020.00 of which is for the extension fee.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any further extension and/or fee that is required to Deposit Order Account 50-3381.

Respectfully submitted,

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